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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled WALL PANEL SYSTEM, the specification of which: is attached hereto. \boxtimes was filed on February 5, 2002 as Application Serial No. 10/068,801. and was amended on ____ (if applicable). I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a). I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed: **Priority Claimed** Prior Foreign Application(s) \Box П (Number) (Country) (Day/Month/Year Filed) Yes No I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below: February 9, 2001 60/267,867 (Application Serial No.) (Filing Date) I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or § 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application: (Status-patented, pending, abandoned) (Application Serial No.) (Filing Date) I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and

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